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GLYCOPROTEIN GP120, COMPOUNDS INHIBITING
CD4-GP120 INTERACTION, COMPOUNDS
INHIBITING CHEMOKINE RECEPTOR-GP120
INTERACTION, MIMICS OF CD4 AND GP120
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1. Rini, James M. et al. Crystal structure of a human immunodeficiency virus type 1 neutralizing antibody, 50.1, in complex with its V3 loop peptide antigen. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States, Vol. 90, No. 13, 6325-6329 (1993); (**Exhibit 1**)

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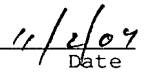
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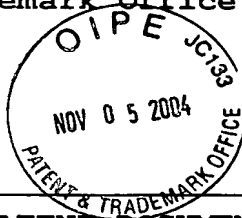
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